

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0439A  
Naganori SHIRAKATA et al. : **Confirmation No. 4427**  
Serial No. 10/573,044 : Group Art Unit 2611  
Filed March 22, 2006 : Examiner Leon Viet Q. Nguyen  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of July 22, 2009.

The fee of \$130.00 is  
(X) to be charged to Credit Card.

Respectfully submitted,

Naganori SHIRAKATA et al.

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